

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Wednesday, October 11, 2017 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Light (103) new fires  
 New large incidents: 3  
 Large fires contained: 2  
 Uncontained large fires:\*\* 17  
 Area Command teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 5  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 3

\*\*Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.  
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

<b>Active Incident Resource Summary</b>						
<b>GACC</b>	<b>Fires</b>	<b>Cumulative Acres</b>	<b>Crews</b>	<b>Engines</b>	<b>Helicopters</b>	<b>Total Personnel</b>
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	10	536,039	20	32	6	892
ONCC	19	120,797	70	401	37	3,477
OSCC	3	21,110	45	264	16	2,056
NRCC	2	96,344	0	0	0	21
GBCC	1	1,682	0	1	0	3
SWCC	1	1,800	1	12	0	130
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	1	197	2	6	0	99
SACC	1	29	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>777,998</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>6,450</b>

**Northern California Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 33  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 12  
 Type 1 IMTs Committed: 4

**Central LNU Complex**, (2 fires). Sonoma Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Gouvea). One mile north of Santa Rosa, CA. Brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with wind-driven runs, uphill runs and flanking. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures are in effect.

**Southern LNU Complex**, (3 fires). Sonoma Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Lawson). One mile east of Napa, CA. Timber, brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with long-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

\* **Mendocino Lake Complex**, (3 fires). Mendocino Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Derum). Includes previously reported Sulfer, Potter Valley and Redwood Valley fires. One mile west of Potter Valley, CA. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting and uphill runs. Residences threatened. Evacuations and road closures are in effect.

\* **NEU Wind Complex**, (2 fires). Nevada-Yuba-Placer Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Patterson). Includes previously reported Cascade, La Porte and Lobo fires. Four miles west of Grass Valley, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Cherokee**, Butte Unit, Cal Fire. Three miles north of Oroville, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with isolated torching and smoldering. Structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

**Thirty Seven**, Marin County Fire Department. Eleven miles southeast of Petaluma, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Central LNU Complex	CA-LNU	29,800	2,300	0	Ctn	10/20	854	229	17	103	7	576	3.3M	ST
Southern LNU Complex	CA-LNU	37,000	12,000	6	Ctn	10/20	464	-1277	16	50	9	178	3.2M	ST
* Mendocino Lake Complex	CA-MEU	28,500	9,500	7	Ctn	11/1	938	636	17	45	10	340	500K	ST
* NEU Wind Complex	CA-NEU	16,337	---	10	Ctn	10/17	1,013	---	13	121	10	92	4.1M	ST
Cherokee	CA-BTU	7,500	500	45	Ctn	10/14	159	-51	6	15	0	3	400K	ST
Thirty Seven	CA-MRN	1,660	-340	65	Ctn	10/13	49	0	1	7	1	0	250K	C&L

### **Southern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 24  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

\* **Canyon 2**, Orange County Fire Department. Eleven miles east of Anaheim, CA. Chaparral and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Numerous residences threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

**Lion**, Sequoia NF. Previously reported incident. Ten miles northeast of Camp Nelson, CA. Timber, brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking. Structures threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Canyon 2	CA-ORC	8,000	---	40	Ctn	10/14	1608	---	30	242	13	3	1.8M	C&L
Lion	CA-SQF	12,980	1,280	0	Comp	11/27	315	94	11	2	3	0	1.4M	FS
* Point	CA-TCU	130	---	100	Ctn	---	133	---	4	20	0	18	260K	ST

TCU – Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit, Cal Fire

**Southern Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 25  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs Committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs Committed: 3

**Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico**, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). IMT 1 (McGowan) has been tasked with establishment of an incident support base for the receipt and distribution of commodities, supplies and resources. FDNY IMT 2 (Kane) has been tasked with assessment of damage to critical infrastructure including roads, water systems and communications.

**Hurricane Maria U.S Virgin Islands**, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). IMT 2 (Bird) has mobilized to St. Croix and is managing a logistical staging area for incoming commodities.

**Hurricane Harvey**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Texas IMT 2 (Hanneman) has mobilized to College Station, TX to support recovery and mitigation efforts, surveying impacts on local fire departments and distributing donated fire equipment.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico	PR-FEM	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	121	-1	0	0	0	0	NR	FEM
Hurricane Maria U.S. Virgin Islands	PR-FEM	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	19	0	0	0	0	0	NR	FEM
Hurricane Harvey	TX-TXS	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	70	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

**Northwest Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 6  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 3

**Eagle Creek**, Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area. One mile south of Cascade Locks, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Chetco Bar**, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. Sixteen miles west of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing and flanking. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**Miller Complex**, (2 fires), Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. Previously reported incident. Seventeen miles east of Cave Junction, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with group torching, running and flanking. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Eagle Creek	OR-CGF	48,831	0	50	Ctn	11/30	106	-20	1	3	1	4	18.9M	FS
Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	191,121	0	97	Ctn	10/31	102	2	2	2	3	30	69.8M	FS
Miller Complex	OR-RSF	38,953	1,410	86	Comp	10/15	186	101	6	7	2	0	33.7M	FS
Teaway River	WA-SES	341	0	100	Ctn	---	174	-17	6	9	0	1	587K	ST

SES - Southeast Region, Washington DNR

**Southwest Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 3  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**33 Springs**, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. Seventeen miles northeast of Forest Lakes, AZ. Timber. Active fire behavior with isolated torching, short-range spotting and flanking. Structures threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
33 Springs	AZ-ASF	1,800	300	0	Ctn	10/20	130	124	1	12	0	0	100K	FS

**Eastern Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 3  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

\* **North**, Monongahela NF. Three miles southeast of Hopeville, WV. Hardwood Litter. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Trail and area closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* North	WV-MOF	197	---	0	Ctn	12/1	99	---	2	6	0	0	400K	FS

**Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	2	3	<b>6</b>
	ACRES	0	1	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	31	2	<b>33</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	41,000	120	<b>41,120</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	23	1	<b>24</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	72	12,980	<b>13,052</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	4	0	0	3	0	<b>7</b>
	ACRES	0	153	0	0	0	0	<b>153</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	3	<b>3</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	4	<b>4</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	1	<b>3</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	25	0	<b>25</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	151	0	<b>151</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>103</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>41,224</b>	<b>13,104</b>	<b>54,482</b>

**Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	171	0	0	176	13	<b>360</b>
	ACRES	0	571,516	0	0	81,348	1	<b>652,865</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	188	239	38	26	1,460	1,308	<b>3,259</b>
	ACRES	11,931	212,612	20,988	5,359	38,897	507,839	<b>797,626</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	82	74	6	16	2,731	924	<b>3,833</b>
	ACRES	118	39,891	71	38	81,402	341,952	<b>463,472</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	163	71	2	44	3,479	475	<b>4,234</b>
	ACRES	641	37,838	0	10,992	215,905	120,646	<b>386,022</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	650	97	20	30	1,568	690	<b>3,055</b>
	ACRES	57,340	377,312	1,325	22,318	237,868	724,111	<b>1,420,274</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	36	1,025	4	37	906	456	<b>2,464</b>
	ACRES	56,329	1,259,332	2	38	448,626	213,739	<b>1,978,066</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	720	233	19	42	716	1,006	<b>2,736</b>
	ACRES	46,668	23,399	1,027	1,389	114,114	364,793	<b>551,390</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	718	352	8	24	1,070	403	<b>2,575</b>
	ACRES	9,867	58,544	354	259	560,512	13,468	<b>643,004</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	344	0	13	15	3,508	322	<b>4,202</b>
	ACRES	696	0	19	130	17,184	3,391	<b>21,420</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	304	472	47	27	22,908	390	<b>24,148</b>
	ACRES	43,498	6,546	154,024	54,654	1,351,831	26,259	<b>1,636,812</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>3,205</b>	<b>2,734</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>38,522</b>	<b>5,987</b>	<b>50,866</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>227,088</b>	<b>2,586,990</b>	<b>177,810</b>	<b>95,177</b>	<b>3,147,687</b>	<b>2,316,199</b>	<b>8,550,951</b>

<b>Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)</b>	<b>56,823</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)</b>	<b>6,004,820</b>

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):**

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
	ACRES	36	0	0	0	0	337	373
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	25	25
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	60	60
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	681	681
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	16	16
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	376	0	376
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,416	0	1,416
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>387</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>36</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,416</b>	<b>1,129</b>	<b>2,581</b>

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	IRES	0	0	0	0	6	2	<b>8</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	64,850	100	<b>64,950</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	9	13	14	2	3	110	<b>151</b>
	ACRES	2,006	1,525	5,558	39	19	15,705	<b>24,852</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	5	7	13	0	94	<b>120</b>
	ACRES	20	654	389	396	0	9,989	<b>11,448</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	9	5	0	153	<b>170</b>
	ACRES	0	62	1,412	768	0	4,556	<b>6,798</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	6	13	42	6	17	109	<b>193</b>
	ACRES	462	3,820	18,690	752	796	6,766	<b>31,286</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	4	22	5	9	30	83	<b>153</b>
	ACRES	95	8,059	933	4,327	799	15,793	<b>30,006</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	25	33	4	5	5	139	<b>211</b>
	ACRES	3,943	46,871	4,952	1,639	6,105	76,486	<b>139,996</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	25	34	37	10	81	96	<b>283</b>
	ACRES	1,116	2,963	18,305	2,370	3,272	36,978	<b>65,004</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	51	0	170	23	1,274	197	<b>1,715</b>
	ACRES	26,679	0	26,117	6,162	97,045	65,713	<b>221,716</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	48	0	123	28	67,774	604	<b>68,577</b>
	ACRES	6,894	0	94,960	133,644	1,543,789	525,561	<b>2,304,848</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>169</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>69,190</b>	<b>1,587</b>	<b>71,581</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>41,215</b>	<b>63,954</b>	<b>171,316</b>	<b>150,097</b>	<b>1,716,675</b>	<b>757,647</b>	<b>2,900,904</b>

\*\*\* Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

\*\*\*Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>

**Predictive Services Discussion:** A cold front will move into the Pacific Northwest creating breezy conditions. A low pressure area located off the California Coast will create off shore flow across the northern portion of the state while the southern half of the state will continue to have on shore flow. Looking elsewhere, the pattern remains fairly quiet across the rest of the country. Breezy, dry conditions are expected across the Great Lakes Region. High pressure will continue to dominate the weather over the Southeast with overall sunny, warm, and dry weather. The Northeast will be cool and showery as a cold front passes.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



## NFDRS PocketCards

*Weather/Fire Behavior Category*

The NFDRS PocketCard is a tool for field personnel to locally track outputs of the National Fire Danger Rating System (NFDRS) throughout the fire season. It is based on current and historical weather for a localized area and the area's historic fire occurrence. The PocketCard displays a general assessment of the fire potential and identifies combinations of local weather and fuel conditions that might contribute to severe fire behavior.

### **The PocketCard provides:**

- A general indicator of the potential fire danger for a given rating or protection area.
- A graph showing the trend and status of the current year's fire season.
- A comparison of current year conditions to historical worst and average conditions.
- Fire danger values related to past large or problem fires.
- Critical local thresholds for temperature, humidity, wind speed, and fuel moistures associated with large or problem fires.

### **Discuss the following ways to use the PocketCard:**

- Use it primarily before fires occur, before arriving to a fire. It is also useful during initial fire size-up, initial attack, and extended attack.
- Use it to learn of critical thresholds that predict the potential for extreme fire behavior for the local area. Be aware that local critical thresholds may be occurring earlier in the season.
- Use it to compare current and predicted local fire danger to historical local fire danger to enhance situational awareness.
- Use it to track daily fire danger indices that gauge the potential for weather and fuels to support extreme fire behavior and of the difficulty of control.
- Use it to supplement local experience.
- Use it as a point of reference for firefighters not familiar with the area represented by the card.
- When you receive a fire assignment outside your local area, visit the National PocketCard website at <http://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/pocketcards/default.htm> where PocketCards are filed by Geographic Area.
- Put it in the pocket of all your firefighters and keep one in your fire vehicle.
- Post it in dispatch. Use them in briefings. Provide them to incoming crews.
- **Do not use the PocketCard for site specific fire behavior predictions and fireline actions or without an interpretive briefing.**
- Review definitions and implications of ERC and BI values.

References: NFDRS Pocket Cards, NWCG, <http://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/pocketcards/default.htm>

**Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.**